

# WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 3 p.m. Wednesday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong  
easterly and southerly winds, unsettled  
and mild, with rain.

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# OTTAWA TO RULE ON BAKER-SOWASH APPEAL

## MIDDLE SCHOOL SYSTEM WILL BE TRIED OUT SOON

Vancouver to Experiment Immediately With Plans of Survey Commission

Whole Province Will Watch Mainland Results Before Adopting System

"Middle schools," the student laboratories which the Education Survey Commission recommended for the testing of British Columbia school children at an early age, will be established in Vancouver during the present year. An agreement under which this system will be given a trial in the largest city of the Province was reached last night at a conference between Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, and the Vancouver School Board and announced by the minister here to-day.

Junior high schools, which actually are very much like middle schools, already are in existence in Vancouver, Dr. MacLean explained. The Vancouver school authorities, however, are anxious to put into effect the entire middle school scheme as outlined by the Education Commission in its bulky report. With this idea the minister is in accord, as he believes that the School Board's action will give the proposed middle school scheme a satisfactory trial.

The purpose of middle schools, as explained by the School Commission, is to take children from the lower schools and place them in institutions where experts will determine their capabilities. The middle schools thus will be like laboratories where the children's proper sphere in life will be ascertained. As a result of this knowledge, teachers will be able to advise students on the work which they can best undertake in the high schools.

The Vancouver experiment will enable the entire Province to watch the workings of the middle school system before deciding on its general adoption. The test in the mainland city will serve a useful purpose in guiding the department of education and the Legislature in mapping out school reforms for the future, it is expected.

## B.C.E.R. PROFITS WERE \$1,860,633

During Year Ended June 30 Last \$1,000,339 Was Paid in Dividends

Vancouver, Jan. 5.—Net earnings of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company Limited and its allied and subsidiary enterprises during the year ended June 30, 1925, were \$1,860,633.16, after deduction of all debenture interest, according to the report submitted at the annual meeting in London, copies of which have reached this coast.

The sum of \$1,000,339.82 was paid in dividends, as follows: Cumulative perpetual preference stock, 5 per cent, \$349,200; interim dividend on preferred ordinary stock 6.33 per cent, \$325,569.91; interim dividend on deferred ordinary stock, 3 per cent, \$325,569.91.

The company has \$2,720,196.94 as a reserve fund and \$1,953,574.84 in its revenue account.

ASSETS \$60,214,440

The statement shows the total assets of the company and its subsidiaries amount to \$60,214,440.93.

The sum of \$4,503,908 was spent on additions to power plants, transmission systems and rolling stock during the year.

The report shows that upon completion of the Alouette plant the total capacity of the company's plants in the Province will be 212,000 horsepower.

## DEAF MAN HEARS A RADIO CONCERT

Winnipeg Citizen of Forty-two Follows Lead of Girl Who Succeeded

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—Deaf and dumb since birth, A. A. Bennett, forty-two, of Winnipeg, "listened in" to a radio concert broadcast by the local station last night.

Reading newspaper accounts of the local girl who had heard for the first time in twenty-two years over the radio last week at the home of E. J. Metcalfe, Mr. Bennett went to the Metcalfe home and made it known he desired to try the same test. Immediately he adjusted the headphones he heard the music broadcast from Station CKY—the first time in his life sound had penetrated to his brain.

## MANUFACTURERS FROM BRITAIN TO VISIT CANADA

Thirty British manufacturers will visit Canada next year at instance of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce. They will tour the Dominion to get first-hand information concerning resources and opportunities for agricultural settlers, the Victoria Chamber of Commerce is advised.

## PREMIER SAYS FOOD LOOTING IN CAPE BRETON MUST END AT ONCE

Halifax, Jan. 5.—Premier E. N. Rhodes stated this morning the Government of Nova Scotia was determined to preserve law and order in Cape Breton, where idle coal miners have been looting food stores. The Government, he said, would not hesitate to take whatever steps the situation might demand.

Looting of provision stores in the Glace Bay and New Aberdeen districts early last night was followed by fresh outbreaks of looting shortly after midnight, reports state.

MINISTER INVESTIGATES  
Hon. J. C. Douglas, Attorney-General, is en route to-day to Cape Breton in order to investigate the trouble on the spot and to afford whatever government assistance is necessary and possible under the circumstances.

It was reported last night the provincial police were being reorganized for duty in the Glace Bay district, but this was denied at the Provincial Buildings this morning.

OUTBREAKS OF LOOTING  
Glace Bay, N.S., Jan. 5.—Early this morning all was reported quiet from the Glace Bay police station, following two hours of mob violence which broke out shortly after midnight and resulted in the pillaging and wrecking of six stores at Sterling and Dominion, mining towns near here. The looting which, it was stated, had been started last night when Mayor Morrison announced relief would be given unemployed miners who applied to the town hall, started shortly after midnight and continued until 2 o'clock.

Since Sunday night, when mob violence first broke out, following unemployment in certain of the colliery districts, eleven stores have been wrecked and emptied. This morning hardly a store in the area had been left untouched by the mob.

## RUSSIA IS BUYING CANADIAN FLOUR

Sale of 200,000 Barrels by Prairie Mills Is Reported To-day

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—The sale of 200,000 barrels of flour by the Ogilvie Flour Mills Company, to the Russian Government was reported in Grain Exchange circles here to-day, but official confirmation could not be obtained. The order was said to have been placed on Monday.

It was also reported Russia was bidding for more North American flour.

The shipment, which is equal to about 1,000,000 bushels of wheat, is to be delivered at Moscow.

## KILLING OF OSAGES NOW INVESTIGATED

Chain of Murders Years Ago in Oklahoma; Two White Men Arrested

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 5.—Again the prey of white men—four of whom are charged with being in the midst of a murder ring which is alleged to have been responsible for nearly a score of deaths in the tribe—the Osage Indians are to receive succor from the Great White Father.

A federal grand jury, convening to-day at Guthrie, will delve into the sinister chain of murders which terrorized the Osage nation several years ago and will call before it K. Hale, "King of the Osage Hills," and Ernest Burkhart, his neighbor, arrested yesterday by state authorities on murder charges in connection with the Osage murders. The grand jury will attempt to develop the connection between the various slayings and investigate circumstances indicating a murder ring sought to wipe out an entire Osage family and gain a fortune of \$2,000,000.

## Duellist Died of Heart Failure

Lisbon, Portugal, Jan. 5.—A duel with swords between Dr. Antonio Centeno, a noted financier, and the vice-president of the Lisbon Town Council to-day ended in the death of the latter after the second encounter. The city official was not wounded, but died of heart failure.

## NEW AMBASSADOR OF U.S. TO SPAIN; OGDEN HAMMOND

To replace Alexander P. Moore as spokesman for the United States, Mr. Hammond, who is a Bernardsville, New Jersey, man, is to go to Madrid.

## ROBERT SCOTT FOUND AFTER LONG SEARCH

In California Prison; To Face Trial in Chicago on Murder Charge

His Brother, Russell Scott, Convicted of Murder, Now in Asylum

Chicago, Jan. 5.—An invalid father last Summer made frantic appeals by radio through newspapers and friends for Robert Scott to come home and save his brother, Russell, doomed to die for a murder he said Robert had committed.

The news went unheeded and Russell, who was a millionaire in Canada, was snatched from the gallows by a last-minute insanity verdict.

Robert Scott could not have answered the appeal, even if he had heard it. Hiding under the assumed name of John Redding, he was serving a sentence in the San Quentin, Calif., prison for robbery of a bakery and a murder charge.

Photographs in a Chicago police bulletin, broadcast in the nationwide search for Robert, led to the identification, which California authorities regard as positive.

REFUSED TO TALK  
From a convict camp in the high Sierra, Scott was brought last night to Merced, California. He showed considerable emotion when addressed as Scott and told he was wanted in Chicago for the murder, but refused to talk. A Christmas parole for good conduct, which was to be his when he had a job to go to, has been indefinitely postponed. Chicago prosecutors have arranged to bring him here.

Russell Scott, in the Chester, Illinois asylum, showed little surprise (Continued on page 3)

## EVELYN NESBITT POISONED HERSELF

Some Hope Held Out For Recovery of Former Wife of Harry K. Thaw

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw is in a serious condition in a hospital here to-day as a result of an attempt at suicide made when she swallowed eight ounces of poison.

Miss Nesbitt drank the poison, a powerful disinfectant, about 5 a.m. in her apartment on the near North Side of the city. Apparently regretting the act, she telephoned her physician, Dr. A. G. Berrens. He rushed to her apartment and had her removed at once to the hospital.

Physicians said Miss Thaw was unconscious when taken to the hospital.

Miss Thaw had been expected to leave for Florida Saturday night after a cabaret here.

SON WITH HER  
In Mrs. Thaw's apartment at the time she drank the poison was her son, Russell Thaw. The boy was to have gone east to-day.

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## Sir B. Thomson Paid Fine in London To-day

London, Jan. 5.—Sir Basil Thomson, former Scotland Yard official, was convicted to-day of a charge of misconduct with a woman in Hyde Park and fined £5. The same amount in costs was assessed. A notice that appeal would be taken was entered.

## MURDER APPEAL ON BLOODHOUND EVIDENCE OPENS

North Vancouver Half-breed Goes to Gallows in Nine Days if Plea Fails

Evidence concerning the action of bloodhounds and the summing up of the trial judge were attacked by Alexander Henderson, K.C., in the Court of Appeal this morning in his fight to save Charles "Sonny White," half-breed Indian of North Vancouver.

White goes to the gallows in nine days for the murder of June 21 of Frank Rosso, Italian fruit store proprietor, if the appeal fails. C. W. Craig, K.C., appears for the Crown.

Counsel both agreed to proceed without a map or plan of the streets of North Vancouver in connection with the journey taken by the bloodhounds when they started from the scene of the murder. The plan which was used by the trial judge has been forwarded to Ottawa and its return is expected any day.

No application for a reprieve for White had been applied for. Mr. Henderson argued that the trial judge had erred in his summing up in not drawing attention to the fact that Crown counsel had produced no evidence to prove a statement he had made that he would call evidence to show the murdered man was in possession of a \$100 bill at the time of the murder.

Dealing with the bloodhound evidence as given by Constable Campbell, he said the constable had given evidence to the effect that the dogs made sure of the scent. In principle, he argued, that was hearsay evidence.

Mr. Craig objected to discussion on the action of the bloodhounds as given by Constable Campbell, not what the dogs did but whether it should have been admitted as evidence.

It was necessary to show what Campbell said in regard to the dogs to argue his point, Mr. Henderson replied.

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## ASKING NO AID IN STREET CAR CONTEST

Officials of London, Ontario, Decide Against Operation by Provincial Board

London, Ont., Jan. 5.—This is London's fifth day without street car service.

The city council last night gave the London Street Railway Company forty-eight hours in which to accept an offer of a sixty-day agreement at a five-cent fare or go back to the old rate of seven and nine tickets for twenty-five cents.

By a vote of five to four the council decided against bringing in the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to operate the company's cars pending a settlement of the transportation difficulties.

A motion sponsored by Aldermen Dolg and McCormick, that "this council is of the opinion that it is not necessary to have the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board intervene at the present time," found the board equally divided. Mayor Moore cast the deciding vote in favor of the hands-off policy.

The street railwaymen's union last night secured the unanimous support of the London Trades and Labor Council in making an appeal to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to intervene.

The street railway company withdrew its cars at midnight, December 31, after a futile effort to induce the city council to banish all independent motorbuses from the streets.

Motorbuses and jitneys are operating during the present crisis. A number of motorbuses were brought from other cities.

## CHOLERA OUTBREAK IN PHILIPPINES

Nine Deaths on Island of Mindoro; Aid Is Sent From Manila

Manila, Jan. 5.—Cholera has broken out on the island of Mindoro. Nine deaths and twelve new cases have been reported to the health service in the last twenty-four hours in the municipality of Pinarayan.

Doctors with a cholera serum have been dispatched from Manila.

## 900 Hungarian Families Seek Fruit Lands in B. C.

Vancouver, Jan. 5.—The Vancouver Sun to-day carried the following special dispatch from Winnipeg:

"To settle 900 Hungarians and their families on British Columbia fruit lands is the purpose of a visit to be made to Victoria by Ivon Hordosy, representing that Government at Winnipeg, and the Montreal consul-general of Hungary.

The Hungarians will also engage in dairy farming. Hordosy told The Sun representative his people would have money enough to make substantial payments on small fruit growing areas. It would not be a community plan as each family would own its farm, but they desired to settle close together.

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## IS FREED AFTER TERM IN PRISON

NICKY ARNST IN

central figure in New York's \$5,000,000 bond theft a few years ago, has been released from the penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kansas, where he served eighteen months of a two-year sentence for conspiracy. Fannie Brice, actress, is his wife.

## COUNTERFEIT PLOT STIRS ALL HUNGARY

Objective of Big Group 30,000,000 Francs; Number of Arrests Made

Baron Perenyi, Count Szmeccsani and Prince Granetz Are Held by Police

Budapest, Jan. 5.—Sensational disclosures in the 30,000,000 franc counterfeit plot that has already brought a dozen prominent Hungarians within the shadow of the prison walls continued to-day.

While detectives made their raids in search of additional evidence, further arrests were made and the names of other nobles allegedly involved were made public to the press.

MUCH EXCITEMENT  
Great excitement prevails throughout Hungary over the affair. The Hungarian and French authorities for a long time had been trying to run the counterfeiters to cover.

Among those taken to-day was Baron Siegmund Perenyi, former Minister of the Interior and intimate friend of the late Premier Tisza.

Count Szmeccsani, a powerful political leader, also was arrested and a warrant was issued for Police Prefect Adonyi, who left on a hurried vacation when the plot was revealed.

Another development was the departure for Italy of one of the French detectives to arrest the Hungarian Fascist leader Ullai, who is said to have fled over the border.

PLATES DISAPPEARED  
The printing works of the Royal Geographic Society, where the forged notes are believed to have been engraved, was the centre of an intensive search by the authorities for a draftsman, engraver and printer who are said to have hidden or destroyed the plates.

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## SUMAS LANDOWNERS PREPARE ARGUMENT

Members of Committee Say They Were Disappointed on Visit to Victoria

Huntingdon, B.C., Jan. 5.—The Sumas landowners will consult their solicitors respecting the proposal to ask the Governor-in-Council to disallow the Sumas legislation passed at the recent session of the Legislature of British Columbia. It was announced following a meeting here yesterday.

A further meeting will be held to-morrow, when additional details of the story of the Sumas reclamation work will be discussed and the argument attacking the legislation put in shape for presentation to the solicitors.

The committee members yesterday charged they had been invited to go to Victoria by Premier Oliver, who asked that they lay their complaints before a special committee, and then later the Premier, they said, had declared they had come to the capital "to make a raid on the treasury."

## POLISH-RUSSIAN PACT DISCUSSED

Berlin, Jan. 5.—Poland and Russia are reported in dispatches from Warsaw to be negotiating a neutrality pact resembling the Russo-Turkish agreement recently signed in Paris.

## FEDERAL CABINET STATEMENT ON THREE BERYL G. SENTENCES OF DEATH IS EXPECTED DAILY

Evidence Against Baker, Sowash and Morris and Conduct of Trials Reviewed by Department of Justice and Recommendations Now Before Ministry for Action; January 14 Was Set by Courts as Date of Executions.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—The fate of the three hi-jackers who were condemned to be hanged January 14 for the murder of Captain William J. Gills aboard the launch Beryl G. near Sidney Island, B.C. in September 1924, will probably be decided in the next few days. The men are Owen B. Baker, Harry Sowash, alias Myers, and Charles Morris. The first two appealed to the Provincial Court of Appeal and the Supreme Court of Canada for new trials, but did not secure them. Morris appealed to the Governor-in-Council for clemency. The evidence against all three and the conduct of their trials have been carefully reviewed by the clemency authorities and their recommendations are now before the Cabinet.

There has been no announcement so far as to whether any or all of them will obtain commutation of their sentences. The three men are now in the Oakalla jail.

## RUBBER PRICES SHOW DECREASE

London, Jan. 5.—The raw rubber market seems haunted by the controversy going on between United States and British interests regarding its movements. The price of spot rubber in Singapore, dropped to 43 1/2 pence this morning, and June delivery to 35 1/2 pence, with corresponding depression in rubber shares in the stock market.

## LEVEL OF SEINE IS AGAIN RISING TO-DAY

Fresh Flooding After Slight Fall Causes New Anxiety in France

Paris, Jan. 5.—Further rises in France's already flooded rivers are feared in consequence of the persistent rainfall. The Seine in particular, which had been at a standstill and even had begun to fall slightly, has started again to rise. The authorities, however, still persist that the peak of the flood will be reached to-morrow or Thursday, without serious harm to the capital.

The situation in the suburbs is far from reassuring. The water is beginning slowly to come over the banks of the streams and is creeping toward low lying towns and villages. In the northwestern provinces the situation is still grave, but with a tendency toward improvement.

RELIEF MEASURES  
In Central Europe the situation remains serious, but measures to relieve the distress are being made, despite the general breakdown in communication. Many places have not been heard from for a week, and the authorities are unable even approximately to state the extent of the calamity.

## CARS LEFT TRACKS AS TRAIN SPEEDED

Passengers Shaken up in C.N.R. Accident Near Salt Springs, Nova Scotia

Amherst, N.S., Jan. 5.—The Maritime Express of the Canadian National Railways, from Montreal for Halifax, was wrecked at Salt Springs, twenty-four miles south of here, this afternoon. Three people were seriously injured and twenty slightly injured. The dining car, sleepers and first-class cars were thrown over the embankment.

ASSISTANCE NEEDED  
Montreal, N.B., Jan. 5.—W. E. Appleton, general manager of the Atlantic Region of the Canadian National Railways, said this afternoon reports indicated several passengers had required first-aid treatment, but that none had been seriously hurt in the run-off of the Canadian National Maritime Express from Montreal for Halifax earlier this afternoon.

One truck on a colonist car had left the rails, the first class coach was off the track, but standing upright, and the dining car and sleepers were both carted over on their sides, he said. Two hundred feet of track had been torn up.

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## PROGRESSIVES ARE DISCUSSING PLANS

Members of Old Party and Ginger Group Meet in Ottawa Before Session

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Main line Progressives and members of the so-called "Ginger Group" Progressives met Robert Forke, Progressive leader, this morning to discuss plans for the session of Parliament. One of the main purposes of the meeting is to discuss the proposed amendment to the address.

Mr. Forke is non-committal as to the stand of Progressives during the session which will begin on Thursday.

"What will be the attitude of Progressives on the proposed Conservative amendment to the address?"

"We have not seen any Conservative amendment yet," he replied. "When we have, we shall decide, but we do not intend to fall into the trap of either party."

## EX-CROWN PRINCE NOW MONDSTIREANU

Former Heir-apparent of Rumania Takes Name of One of His Estates

Milan, Jan. 5.—Former Crown Prince Carol of Rumania, who renounced his right of succession to the throne apparently at the call of love, is to be known in the future as Ex-Crown Prince Carol.

Carol is said to have taken the name of Mondstireanu, the name of one of his estates in Rumania which appears on the passport he has just received from Bucharest.

Cared to add at the hotel here where Mrs. Lupescu, his ex-wife, is staying, Blue-eyed Immortal, is staying.



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LABORITES MEETPort Elizabeth, South Africa, Jan. 5  
(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).  
A more harmonious atmosphere  
prevailed at the session of the annual  
congress of the South African  
Labor Party yesterday and progress  
was made with the programme.  
Although the left wing of the party  
was unable to secure the exclusion of  
members of Parliament from thenational council of the party, it secured  
control of the council. Its  
first act after securing control was  
to depose the newly-elected Senator  
Briggs, chairman of the congress,  
from the position of chairman of  
the party, which he had held for the  
last eight years.Heated and protracted recrimina-  
tions, mainly in connection with al-  
legations of intrigues with the Labor  
Party, marked the opening session of  
the congress. Two of the Labor Party  
leaders, Colonel Cresswell, Minister  
of Defence and Labor in the Hertzog  
Government, and Hon. T. Boydell,  
Minister of Posts and Telegraphs and  
Public Works, were subjected to con-  
siderable heckling by a section of the  
delegation. Demands were made  
that members of the Government  
should not be elected to the national  
council of the Labor Party, the ob-  
jection being that the rank and file  
of the party should dictate the party's  
policy, not members of the Govern-  
ment.Finally the congress passed a resolu-  
tion by forty votes to twenty-nine  
suspending the standing order re-  
garding the present methods of elect-  
ing members of the council.  
Dissatisfaction with the present  
situation of the Labor Party in its  
connection with the Nationalist-La-  
bor Government of Premier Hertzog  
was voiced during the consideration  
of a resolution which declared the  
Nationalist-Labor pact was just-  
ified. Some of the members contend-  
ed the Government had not fulfilled  
Labor's expectations.CANNERY LEADERS  
MEET IN SEATTLESeattle, Jan. 5.—More than 300  
delegates from Oregon, Washington,  
California, Idaho and British Col-  
umbia were expected for the North-  
west Cannery Association twelfth  
annual convention opening here to-  
day.There will be discussion of trans-  
portation rates, legislation affecting  
the industry and testing of about 90  
samples of products of canneries in  
the district.The gathering will end Friday.  
Although the association at pre-  
sent includes only Oregon and Wash-  
ington plants, guest delegates from  
the other states and British Colum-  
bia were invited.The annual meeting of the congre-  
gation of St. Martin's Church, Tillam-  
um, will be held to-night at 8  
o'clock in the church.

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25 cents, at Fletcher's.Schubert Club recital, Memorial  
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Vancouver, assisting. Tickets  
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Institution, it is UrgedThe cost of the upkeep of indigent  
patients in local hospitals was  
forced home on the City Council last  
night by an account from St.  
Joseph's Hospital asking for \$5,999.50  
expended on the care of indigents  
resident in the city.The city has only recently com-  
pleted its 1925 contribution to the  
Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital,  
expending \$15,000 more than at first  
thought necessary towards the up-  
keep of that institution, remarked  
Alderman Woodward, who moved  
that action be taken to confine pa-  
tients who are a charge on the city to  
one institution."We should have the Jubilee Hos-  
pital declared the sole one for city  
indigent patients," he said in part,  
and cut out the cost of caring for  
indigents in two institutions."Some patients might be a pre-  
ference which they would be entitled  
to proclaim, remarked Alderman  
Brown, opposing a blanket ruling on  
the question."I take the stand that as soon as  
possible we should protect ourselves  
from paying twice. When we are  
obliged by law to furnish the ac-  
commodation, we should be able to  
designate where it is to be pro-  
vided," added Alderman Woodward.  
Alderman Mara agreed, stating  
that he believed the management of  
the St. Joseph Hospital would wel-  
come the suggested change, as the  
practice now in force led to the ex-  
amination of accounts, an onerous  
task in itself.Alderman Clearhouse explained the  
provisions of the Hospitals Act and  
the duty of the corporation under the  
circumstances. The motion was not  
seconded, and the matter was re-  
ferred to the City Solicitor and  
medical officer to examine and re-  
port on recent covering legislation.

## ADVANCE PAYMENTS

Advance payments of taxes on  
the 1926 account reached \$19,101  
for the first five days in this year,  
reported City Treasurer Edwin C.  
Smith to the City Council last  
night, in asking the fixing of a  
due date. It was suggested by  
some that the date of tax collec-  
tion be advanced from October  
21 to earlier in the year. Victoria  
was alone in B.C. in this respect  
and waited longer for its money  
than any other municipality, com-  
mented the acting mayor.he did not know what to do. He  
sniffed with all his might, hoping he  
might smell, buried under the snow,  
even some bitter acorns or bitter  
horse chestnuts, which squirrels will  
eat when they can't get the small,  
sweet chestnuts, or beech nuts or  
seeds, which they much prefer.All of a sudden Billie stopped near  
an old log, sniffing harder than ever  
and chattered:"I smell nuts! I'm going to dig for  
them!" His little paws made the  
snow fly as Uncle Wiggily watched.Soon Billie had dug down to the  
ground beneath the log. And just as  
he was making a hole in which he  
felt sure he would find some buried  
nuts, all of a sudden, from within  
the hollow log popped out Yippee,  
the saucy red squirrel."What are you doing at my store  
of nuts, Billie? I'll tell you about as do  
Yippee. His tail jerking about as dothe tails of all squirrels when they  
are angry. "What are you doing?"  
"Oh, I didn't know they were your  
nuts! I was going to dig some up  
and eat them, because I am so hun-  
gry," said Billie faintly. Then the  
tail of Yippee ceased to jerk about.  
The red squirrel felt sorry for his  
grey cousin and said:"You may have some of my chest-  
nuts, Billie, and I'm sorry I was  
cross to you. I know what it is to  
be hungry!""That's the way to talk!" cried  
Uncle Wiggily. And when Billie had  
eaten some of the nuts from the red  
squirrel's store, the rabbit gentle-  
man and the grey squirrel hopped  
home and Billie never went so far  
away again that cold winter. And if  
the popcorn ball doesn't jump off the  
stove and try to play tag with the  
roller skates, I'll tell you next about  
Uncle Wiggily and the sheltering  
rock.PRINCE CAROL IS  
VISITOR IN MILANLondon, Jan. 5.—At three points in  
the mystery surrounding Crown  
Prince Carol of Rumania and his re-  
linquishment of his right to ascend  
the throne have been cleared up.Carol is in Milan. Also there is  
Madame Lupesco, the blue-eyed, red  
haired daughter of a Jewish mer-  
chant of Jassy, Rumania, with whom  
Carol is on friendly terms. ZyziasLambrino, former morganatic wife of  
the prince, has remarried.Carol last night at the hotel where  
he is staying in Milan gave a dinner  
to his entourage and Madame Lu-  
pesco, who, reports say, by her charm  
and calm dignity causes comment  
when she is seen in the public rooms  
of the hotel, also was a guest.Carol is said to have flown into a  
violent rage when he was informed  
that his father, King Ferdinand, had  
announced to a crown council that  
he had given up his right to the  
throne.

## CAROL IS POPULAR

While there is much sympathy on  
the part of the Rumanians with the  
king and queen in their present trou-  
ble, there is also a certain amount  
being given the romantic, lovelorn  
prince, who is popular with the peo-  
ple.A dispatch from Budapest describes  
the woman who has visited Paris,  
London and Milan with Carol as the  
wife of a major. She is said to be a  
Rumanian.Other reports are to the effect that  
Princess Helen will start divorce pro-  
ceedings against Carol. The under-  
standing in Athens is that Helen will  
remain at the Rumanian court and  
devote her attention to her little son  
Michael, who is to take his father's  
place as the successor of King Fer-  
dinand.A dispatch received in London yester-  
day from a special correspondent  
of the Westminster Gazette said:  
The final and successful renuncia-  
tion by Crown Prince Carol of Ru-  
mania was accomplished to counter-  
act the plans of his mother, Queen

Marie, and Premier Bratiano to

thwart his succession to the throne  
in favor of his brother, Prince Nico-  
las, and to insure the succession of  
his own son, Prince Michael.The inner history of Carol's re-  
peated attempts at renunciation re-  
veals the fact that as far back as his  
marriage to Mile, Zyzias Lambrino  
he was aware of the existence of a  
powerful movement in his country  
and in political circles to enthronize  
Nicolas.English educated, Prince Nicolas  
always was Queen Marie's favorite  
child, and the more popular with the  
Rumanian people, because he alone  
of the royal children speaks Ru-  
manian fluently.

## HOSTILITY DEVELOPED

The ambitious and clever Queen  
Marie was always the real ruler of  
Rumania, and her political ally,  
Bratiano lent himself willingly to the  
Queen's policy. Carol always was  
aware of this opposition, and politi-  
cal animosity between the Prince  
and Premier followed as a natural  
course.Carol, realizing that both the  
popular choice and the plans of the  
court and cabinet were antagonistic  
to him, and maddened by the break-  
ing of his love match, decided to have  
done with it all. His dramatic action  
in taking the matter into his own  
hands, rather than allow the plans  
of the Queen and Bratiano slowly to  
mature has dropped a bombshell into  
Rumanian court and political circles.  
He has at least assured the succession  
of his son Michael—an unexpected  
counter move to the plans of  
Bratiano.

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## HEARING ADJOURNED

Vancouver, Jan. 5.—To suit the  
convenience of counsel, who are en-  
gaged before the Court of Appeal  
for examination for discovery of  
Mr. General A. D. McFar, from  
whom Hon. William Sloan, Provincial  
Secretary and Minister of Mines, is  
claiming damages for alleged libel,  
was adjourned Monday afternoon to  
an indefinite date.With New Heart and New Hope Canada  
Sets her Course Toward the Goal  
of True GreatnessTHE Dominion of Canada passes the first quarter  
of the Twentieth Century with Faith and Resolution  
perched high upon her banners.Faith in the prophecy of a great Canadian that the  
Twentieth Century should be Canada's.Resolution to carry on the mighty tasks of nation-  
building that were only begun by that rugged generation  
which has passed along.

## —as a World Trade Influence

(Note.—The figures used in the statements  
concerning the Dominion of Canada are  
compiled from the Dominion of Trade and Commerce.)Canada occupies second place among  
the world's exporters on a per capita basis,  
and holds fourth place among the world's  
greatest traders in foreign  
markets.Canada, during a period  
of twenty-one years, has in-  
creased exports from 200  
millions to more than one  
billion dollars; her total  
world trade has advanced  
from 400 millions to one  
billion 900 millions.

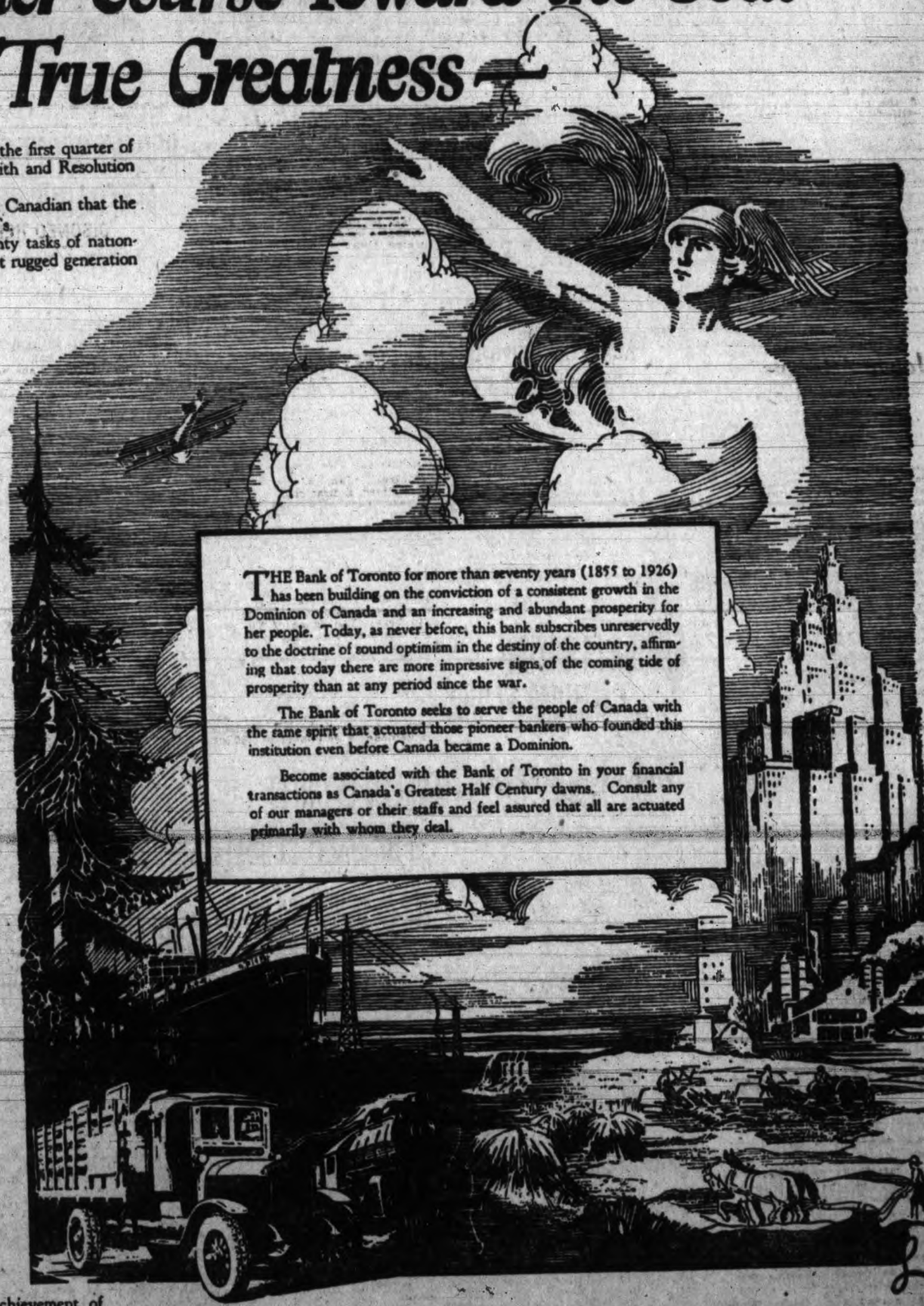
## —as an Agricultural Nation

Canada has one million workers engaged  
in agriculture, working only one-fifth of  
her arable land; these workers produced  
revenue from the soil amounting to one  
billion 470 million dollars annually. The  
total agricultural investment is approxi-  
mately seven billions.Dairy products yield over 250 million  
dollars annually; live stock revenue aver-  
ages over 140 million dollars; field crops  
yield more than 900 million dollars annu-  
ally. Canada in 25 years has increased the  
acreage under cultivation from slightly less  
than 20 million acres to nearly 60 million.

## —as a Manufacturing Nation

Canada employs approximately 700,000  
people in industrial and manufacturing  
pursuits, with a return  
of 4 billion dollars an-  
nually. Canada's total  
investment in manu-  
facturing amounts to  
approximately 1 billion  
500 million dollars. Can-  
ada's manufactured and  
semi-manufactured pro-  
ducts represent more  
than 55 per cent of her export trade.Canada in a twenty-year period has  
increased the production of manufactured  
goods from 480 million to more than 4  
billion dollars.

## —in the World of Finance

Canada increased her National Debt  
severfold and enlisted one-third of her  
1914 population in the fight to main-  
tain world civiliza-  
tion, yet today her  
per capita debt is  
less than that of  
any of her allies,  
except the United  
States, which was in the world war but  
one year and a half. Canada's own citizens  
hold eighty per cent of the bonds repre-  
senting Canada's indebtedness.Canada's population of nine millions has  
more than two billion dollars on deposit.  
Her people have invested in the last ten  
years more than 1 billion dollars in bonds.  
Canada has attracted, in the last quarter  
century, more than 4 billion 200 million  
dollars of British and United States capital.What a panorama of past achievement, of  
present opportunity and future greatness must  
pass before the eyes of all those Canadians pos-  
sessed of the spirit that cries "Ever Onward!"The New Dawn has come for Canada in  
the first quarter of this most eventful of all  
centuries. Every true Canadian should greet it  
as the Omen of a Greater Canada and a  
Greater Canadianism.

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# January Sale Bargains for Wednesday Morning

## EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN READY-TO-WEAR AND WASH GOODS

### Women's Rayon Silk Slips

At January Sale Prices

Rayon Silk Slips made with opera tops and gathers at the hips; shown in orchid, peach, madura, raphael, alcazar, buckskin, navy and black. Each ..... **\$2.98**

Rayon Silk Slips with a 10-inch pleated frill, opera top style with gathers at the hip. Shown in frost, grey, pencil blue, buckskin, bakara, alcazar, navy and black. Each ..... **\$3.98**  
—Children's Wear, First Floor

### Girls' White Flannelette SLIPS AND BLOOMERS

January Sale Bargains Wednesday

White Flannelette Princess Slips made with flounce of four-inch embroidery, others trimmed with imitation torchon lace at flounce and neck; sizes for 6 to 14 years. Values to \$1.25. On sale for ..... **85¢**

White Flannelette Bloomers with elastic at the waist and knees; sizes for 2 to 10 years. Very special at, a pair ..... **50¢**  
—Whitewear, First Floor



### Women's Silk HOSIERY

January Sale Bargains At

**59c, 98c and \$1.29**

Good Quality Silk Hose with seam at back of leg, elastic tops and double spliced foot; shown in shades of sunset, cameo, treader, platinum, hoggar, tan, mauresque, illusion, pink, cocoa, cheri, fawn, rosewood, black tulle and camel. Regular \$1.00 on sale for, a pair ..... **59¢**

Pure Thread Silk Hose with hemmed or garter tops, in sizes 8½ to 10 and shades of white, black, brown, beige, log cabin, camel, peach, cameo, golden pheasant, pearl grey, Oriental pearl, treader, cheri, hoggar. Regular \$1.50, on sale for, a pair ..... **98¢**

Marvel Silk Hose with pointed heels and lisle garter tops, reinforced foot. Shown in a splendid range of colors. Regular \$2.00 a pair, on sale for ..... **\$1.29**  
—Hosiery, Main Floor

### January Sale of Millinery

Models, values to \$27.50, to be cleared at ..... **\$7.50**

Models, values to \$18.50, to be cleared at ..... **\$5.00**

A group of smart, stylish Hats, values to \$10.50, on sale for ..... **\$2.50**

Winter Hats, in this season's best styles, values up to \$7.95, to be cleared at ..... **\$1.75**

All kinds of Children's Hats to be cleared, each **\$1.00**

All fine quality, banded Felt Hats, values from \$5.95 to \$12.50, on sale for, each ..... **\$3.95**

Felt Hats, in smart styles, values up to \$5.95, on sale for, each ..... **\$1.95**

All Velours, black and all colors, various shapes, values to \$12.50, on sale for, each ..... **\$3.95**  
—Millinery, First Floor

### Lace, January Sale Bargains

22-inch Radium Allover Lace, in brown, navy, black and grey. On sale for, a yard ..... **98¢**

27-inch Colored Radium Lace, with 9-inch fringe; shown in white, peach, mauve, maize and gold. Regular \$1.98. On sale for, a yard ..... **98¢**

18-inch Chantilly Lace, in grey, navy, black, purple and brown. Regular to \$3.75. On sale for, a yard ..... **98¢**  
—Laces, Main Floor

### January Sale of Dinnerware

English, Plain White Semi-porcelain Set of 12 pieces, 4 cups and saucers, 4 dinner plates. For, a set **\$1.00**

Four Cups and Saucers, 4 Tea Plates and Cake Plate for ..... **\$1.00**

English Tea Set of 22 pieces, 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates, 1 sugar, 1 cream, 1 cake plate for, a set ..... **\$2.00**

Dinner Set of 24 pieces, 6 dinner plates, 6 dessert plates, 6 cups and saucers, for ..... **\$2.00**

32-piece English Semi-porcelain Dinner Sets, 6 dinner plates, 6 tea plates, 6 small soups, 6 cups and saucers, 1 platter, 1 vegetable dish. For, a set ..... **\$3.00**

Bungalow Tea Set of 15 pieces, Albany or blue Yuan, 4 cups and saucers, 4 tea plates, 1 sugar, 1 cream, **\$3.00**

20-piece Sets of "Verge Line" open stock, English semi-porcelain, 6 cups and saucers, 6 dinner plates, 1 platter, 1 vegetable dish. A set ..... **\$4.00**

Dinner Set in Johnson Brothers' plain white porcelain; made up of thirty-five pieces. A set ..... **\$4.00**

### January Sale of Women's and Misses' COATS

Two Exceptional Values Wednesday for

**\$12.90 and \$18.90**

Velour and Marvella Cloth Coats in straight line models or with fancy godets, trimmed with buttons and cable stitching. Finished with fur collars in gathered or choker style; have set-in sleeves. All fully lined. January bargains at, each ..... **\$12.90**

Tailored Coats of heavy reversible tweeds, made with full belt and raglan or set-in sleeves. Dressy coats trimmed with fur collars and cuffs, made from velour and marvella cloths, fully lined and shown in popular shades. On sale for, each ..... **\$18.90**  
—Mantles, First Floor



### Knitted Wool Suits \$6.90

On Sale For

Correct Golfing Suits for Women and Misses

Knitted Wool Suits in pretty shades of green, brick, wine, blue and black; made with medium length coats, shawl or convertible collars and neat-fitting sleeves with turn-back cuffs. Skirts are made plain with elastic at the waist. January Sale bargains at, each ..... **\$6.90**  
—Mantles, First Floor

### Children's Woolen Mitts and Toques 50c and 75c

Colored Woolen Mitts with gauntlet cuffs, shown in fawn, brown, white and cardinal; sizes for 2, 3 and 4 years. Special value at ..... **50¢**

All Wool Toques with pom-pom on top, shown in fawn and blue trimmed with brown and in brown trimmed with fawn. Sizes for 2 to 12 years. On sale for ..... **75¢**  
—Children's Wear, First Floor

250 Square Yards of

### Dominion Inlaid Linoleum

A Square Yard

**\$1.35**

Genuine Dominion Inlaid Linoleum in four good designs, exceptionally fine values for the January Sale, a square yard ..... **\$1.35**  
—Linoleum, Second Floor

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### Simmon's STEEL BEDS

On Sale Wednesday, Each

**\$12.50**

Simmon's Steel Beds, in walnut finish, continuous post style, square tubing with five flat fillers; full size only. To clear at, each ..... **\$12.50**  
—Furniture, Second Floor

### 500 Yards of English Dress Crepes 39c

Reg. Price a yard \$1.25—On Sale for

500 yards of English Dress Crepes, shown in shades of mauve, taupe, Nile, rose, fawn, jade, grey, orange, black, navy, cream and white. A January Sale bargain, a yard ..... **39¢**  
—Wash Goods, Main Floor

### Silks

Bargains For Wednesday

33-inch Natural Pongee Silk, a well-made fabric in good even weave, free from filling, suitable for children's dresses, draperies, etc., on sale for, a yard ..... **69¢**

36-inch Black Paillette Satin, good quality with a nice sheen, wears well. Regular \$1.98, on sale for, a yard ..... **68¢**

40-inch Charmeuse Satin, a nice quality, very attractive for dresses; shown in navy, brown, Copen and sky. Regular \$4.50, on sale for, a yard ..... **\$2.49**  
—Silks, Main Floor

### CRETONNES

Regular 50c and 65c, on Sale for, a Yard, 39c

Cretonne, 36 inches wide, shown in a choice of many fine designs and very serviceable qualities. Regular 50c and 65c, on sale for, a yard ..... **39¢**  
—Draperies, Second Floor

### January Sale of Linoleum Rugs

Linoleum Rugs, plain brown or green with key border. Real bargains.

1 only, 7.6x9 size. Regular \$11.25 for ..... **\$6.75**

3 only, 9x9 size. Regular \$13.50 for ..... **\$9.75**

6 only, 9x10.6 size. Regular \$16.50 for ..... **\$10.95**

4 only, 9x12 size. Regular \$18.00 for ..... **\$12.75**  
—Linoleums, Second Floor

### Women's Oxford Shoes at \$4.95

Superior Quality Welited Oxford Shoes for Women, shown in black or brown kid, black, brown or gun-metal calf and patent leather; military, Cuban or low heel styles. The best shoes for Winter and early Spring wear. Bargains at, a pair ..... **\$4.95**  
—Women's Shoes, First Floor

### Bon Ton Corsets

Regular \$7.25 Values For

**\$3.95**

Corsets of pink silk broche, made with elastic tops, long skirt and boned with wun-dabehn, perfect fitting garments. Regular \$7.25, on sale for, a pair ..... **\$3.95**  
—Corsets, First Floor

### Absorbent Cotton

Hospital quality, 1-lb. rolls, regular 75c, for ..... **52¢**

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75c box of 3 cakes ..... **57¢**

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Red rubber, best quality, \$1.25 value, 35 only at, each ..... **85¢**

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18 rolls for ..... **\$1.00**  
—Toilet Articles Section

### Sale of Towels and Toweling

Fancy Turkish Towels, heavy grade, fancy stripes; regular prices 25c to \$1.00. On sale for **15¢, 25¢ and ..... 39¢**

Turkish Towels; regular price, each, 75c and 85c, for ..... **59¢**

Pure Linen Huckaback Towelings, heavy grade, 18 inches wide. January Sale, a yard ..... **50¢**

Pure Linen Crash Toweling, with blue and red stripe borders. On sale, a yard, at ..... **20¢**

Twill Kitchen Toweling with red stripe border; 24-inch. January Sale, a yard, **19¢**  
—Staples, Main Floor

### Men's Gloves—Two Bargains

Men's Brown Cotton Jersey Gloves, with knitted wrist. January Sale Price, a pair, **19¢**

Men's Heavy Muleskin Work Gloves, a pair ..... **50¢**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Women's Brushed Wool CARDIGANS

January Sale Price, Each

**\$2.79**

Brushed Wool Cardigans in pearl and fawn shade only, plain style with two patch pockets and neat five-button fastening. Very good quality and real bargains at, each ..... **\$2.79**  
—Children's Wear, First Floor



### Flannels and Shirts

January Sale Bargains Wednesday

Silk Stripe Shirting, stripes of blue, black and mauve on white ground; 32 inches. January Sale, a yard **59¢**

Khaki Flannel Shirting, heavy grade; regular \$1.00 yard. January Sale Price ..... **59¢**

Clydella Shirts, patterned in blue, black or mauve stripes, suitable for shirts or pyjamas; 31 inches wide; regular price, a yard, 89c. January Sale Price ..... **69¢**

Dark Grey Flannel, suitable for men's work shirts; 29-inch. January Sale Price, a yard ..... **39¢**  
—Wash Goods, Main Floor

### All Wool Blankets Priced For January Sale

All Pure Wool Snow White Blankets, thoroughly shrunk and with plain blue border, single bed size. January Sale, a pair ..... **\$8.75**

Pure Wool Blankets of high grade yarn, finished with blue borders, three-quarter bed size. A pair ..... **\$11.75**

All Wool Yorkshire Blankets, white with blue stripe borders, size 70x90 inches. January Sale, a pair ..... **\$12.75**

Snow White Pure Wool Blankets with blue borders and thoroughly shrunk, double bed size. On sale, a pair ..... **\$13.75**  
—Blankets, Main Floor

### MEN'S SOCKS

January Sale Bargains Wednesday

Men's Fine Cotton Socks, black, brown, sand, grey, navy; regular price, a pair, 25c. On sale, 3 pairs for ..... **50¢**

Penman's Fine Ribbed Socks, wool and cotton, Lovat mixtures. January Sale, a pair, **35¢** or 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

All Wool Black Cashmere Socks; regular a pair 50c. January Sale Price, **35¢** or 3 pairs for ..... **\$1.00**

Men's Thread Silk Dress Socks for evening or street wear. Regular price, a pair, \$1.00. On sale for ..... **75¢**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### January Sale of Men's Sweaters

Imported All Wool Sweater Coats, with "V" neck and two pockets, assorted colors. Great value, each ..... **\$1.49**

Penman's All Wool Sweater Coats, medium weight and with four pockets and "V" shape neck; sand shade only. All sizes on sale, each ..... **\$2.39**

Penman's All Wool Sleeveless Knitted Vests with four pockets and buttoned front. Each ..... **\$1.95**

Men's Heavy Knitted Sweater Coats, wool and cotton mixture, "V" neck or shawl collar styles and two pockets. Several shades. Broken lines and sizes. January Sale, each ..... **\$3.95**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Boys' Flannelette Pyjamas and Sleepers

Boys' Flannelette Pyjamas of soft texture, well made and finished with silk braid frogs. Sizes for 8 to 16, a suit ..... **\$1.50**

Small Boys' Flannelette Sleepers, with feet and drop seat. Sizes for 2 to 4 years. January Sale, a suit ..... **75¢**  
—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor

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## AT THE THEATRES

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Have you ever made a motor trip across the continent?  
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## AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"California Straight Ahead."  
Columbia—"Lady Robin Hood."  
Dominion—"Lights of Old Broadway."  
Playhouse—"The Man on the Box."  
Coliseum—"Sinbad the Sailor."

"California Straight Ahead" possibly the most entertaining of Denny's recent series of feature farce comedies. Traveling in a palatial bungalow on wheels, Denny, in the role of a jilted suitor, attempts "to forget" by journeying across the country by motor. Instead of finding solitude and peace, he finds everything else, including his ex-fiancee, various accidents and mishaps, a storm in which several wild animals escape

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## CRYSTAL GARDEN

and invade an auto camp, and numerous other diverting things. From the appearance of the scenes it is evident that the transcontinental trip scenes were filmed out on the open road, for we see shots of tourist camps, and the usual caravan of cars of all descriptions loaded with odd-looking baggage, and passengers who rival them in oddness.

SYD CHAPLIN MAKES  
MERRY NIGHT FOR  
PLAYHOUSE AUDIENCES

Crowds who witnessed last night at the Playhouse the first showing here of Warner Bros. screen classic, "The Man on the Box," featuring the inimitable picture comedian, Syd Chaplin, were delighted with the production. They saw the merry adventures of a gentleman idler caught in a whirlwind of thrilling melodrama. They enjoyed a smile a second, a laugh a minute, and over an hour of glorious hilarity.

The screen's funniest actress appears when Syd Chaplin puts on female impersonation. Film fans saw him do it in "Charley's Aunt," and they never forgot it. And now he does it in "The Man on the Box" at the Playhouse all this week. Through investing in a new type of flying machine, Syd Chaplin, in the role of Bob Warburton, finds himself innocently swept into a score of adventures, with plotting, intrigue, business deals, and schemes; he finds himself alone and homeless in the midst of the night in a pair of pyjamas; he finds that he has to get disguised as a cabman and a housemaid.

SPLENDID ACTION IN  
NEW BRENT PICTURE  
ON COLUMBIA SHEET

"Lady Robin Hood," a vivid part in which Evelyn Brent puts all her vivid personality as a sort of fiery and less impractical Joan of Arc, is proving at every performance at the Columbia Theatre the mounting popularity of this actress. Her present vehicle is the first in which she has appeared in a long time that did not give her a crook role for interpretation, and she seems to have gained new inspiration from the picturesque character. Certainly she has never given a more finished dramatic performance. Power, pathos and passion light up her characterization in such a way as to make it one of the outstanding performances of the year. The story deals with a patriotic fervor of a girl, leader of a band of "Carabonnet" who have revolted from the villainous rule of the Alcaide of Manilla, at the foot of the Pyrenees. Mixed up in the swift action of the plot is a young millionaire who is kidnapped from his yacht and shaken out of his habitual boredom.

SCREEN CLASSIC AND  
PANTIMINE PROVIDE  
BIG COLISEUM BILL

Those who did not have the opportunity of seeing the pantimime, "Sinbad the Sailor" at the Coliseum last week, are seizing the opportunity offered by the second week's run. With the augmented company appearing again and a sensational picture the Coliseum offers a dual bill of unusual excellence. Certainly "This Woman," which is showing at the Coliseum Theatre, where it will hold forth the entire week, is an outstanding picture. This is in all the more remarkable because it was not heralded with the sounding hosannas

of praise with which every ordinary picture comes to town. It proved one of the most unusual pictures seen here in years. There are some contributing factors to this result. First it is the screen adaptation of the best seller by Howard Rokey, which went like wildfire, and ran into a number of editions. Second, it is a Warner Bros. Classic of the Screen; the Warner Bros. have been hitting the bull's eye time and again in their brilliant productions. Third, if a third is necessary, it was directed by Phil Rosen.

Irene Rich has the role of Carol Drayton, and plays it sympathetically. She is supported by Ricardo Cortez, Louise Fazenda, Frank Elliott, Creighton Hale, Mae McDermott, Helen Dunbar, Clara Bow and Otto Hoffman.

MARION DAVIS STARS  
IN METRO FEATURE  
NOW AT DOMINION

One of the best pictures from any standpoint.

That is the terse description of "Lights of Old Broadway," Marion Davies' initial starring Cosmopolitan Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and now playing at the Dominion Theatre. As is usual with Miss Davies' pictures, she gives us a lesson in the history of America, which makes us proud of being Americans. This time she has chosen the colorful and romantic lives when New York was changing from a struggling overgrown town to a modern metropolis.

The story is a much-changed version adaptation of Laurence Eyre's "Merry Wives of Gotham," but the change has been for the better. This picture makes a great deal of the picture-goers an interpretation of a dual role whose characterizations are widely different. By it she proves her versatility and her much-changed and binds her film fans much closer to her than in any of her former pictures.

CLEVER COMPANY AT  
ROYAL THIS WEEK IN  
"TOO MANY HUSBANDS"

Playgoers are receiving with pleasure the announcement of the return of Cameron Matthews and his clever English company to the Royal Theatre for three days commencing Thursday, and the impression this company made here recently in A. Milne's comedy "The Dover Road," still lingers fresh, and agreeably in the minds of all who saw that performance. Cameron Matthews has chosen for his vehicle, Somerset Maugham's success, "Too Many Husbands," another comedy of quite a different style and theme from "The Dover Road," one that will give the theatre-going public a taste of the brilliance that has won for Somerset Maugham the English dramatist, such a prominent place on the American, as well as the English stage. Among his noted plays are "Rain," "The Circle" and "Our Betters"—in the last named, it will be remembered that the justly famous Winnipeg actress, Miss Margaret Bannerman, leapt to a dizzy pinnacle of fame in a single night, and has ever since had all London at her feet.

Small as it is, Mr. Matthews' return engagement, are being filled at an unusual rate. The seat sale for all performances will open on Tuesday morning.

WONDERFUL HARPISIT  
HERE NEXT MONDAY

Early Seat Sale Shows Great Interest in Visit of Grandjany

Judging from the sale of seats much interest is shown in the visit here of the great French harpist, now on a transcontinental tour. Everywhere in this famous player—Marcel Grandjany—greeted with great enthusiasm and large audiences. Last season he played at Vancouver, where he met with a big reception, and this year it is said he will even get a larger hearing at his recital there next week. He gives a highly engrossing programme of old and modern composers. Assisting him will be Toronto's popular contralto, Marion Copp, who will sing altogether six numbers, two of which will be given in French. He plays here at Victoria's Crystal Garden next Monday evening, and the plan of seats is now open, up town, at Willis pianos and at the Crystal Garden.

## CENSORSHIP ASKED

London, Ont., Jan. 4.—Efforts are being made by the United Church Ministerial Association to secure a censor for theatrical productions in the local playhouses. The association, at a meeting last night adopted a resolution calling upon the city authorities to secure an extensive censorship.

## IMPORTANT

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JAN. 14—"FAUST"

JAN. 15—"PAGLIACCI" and "CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA"

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Combination Special  
One polishing cloth and one bottle of Silver Cream, regular 50c. Sale Price ..... 39¢

Electric Heaters  
Used for heating as well as for boiling purposes; regular \$7.95. Sale Price ..... \$6.95

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English made earthenware teapots, six-cup size; various styles; some with hinged covers; values to 75c. Sale Price ..... 49¢

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In strong quality rubber, plain lined hood, fawn only; sizes 2 to 6 years. Value \$2.75. Sale Price ..... \$1.98

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Hosiery

English made cashmere hose with wide hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes; seamless leg; choice of black or brown. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10; regular \$1.25 and \$1.35. Sale Price, per pair ..... 98¢  
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Silk Finished Velveteens  
at 69c a Yard

22-inch Silk Finished Velveteens, in brown, Copen and black. Ideal weight for dresses and other purposes. Regular 95c. Sale Price ..... 69¢ per yard ..... 69¢  
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## Boys' Wear at Savings

Heavy and lightweight all-wool Golf Hose, in shades of heather, fawn and grey with contrasting turn down tops; sizes 7 to 10. Sale Price, per pair ..... 49¢

Tweed and Jersey Suits  
Oliver Twist styles in tweeds and Jersey cloth, shown in dark brown only; sizes to fit boys 2 to 5 years; values to \$2.00. Sale Price ..... \$1.95

Black Rubber Waterproof Coats  
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## House Dresses, 98c

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Or Tongue, per lb. .... 30¢















# Wall Street TO-DAY

## Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, Jan. 5. (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—An easier money rate of 4 per cent after renewing at 5 per cent with lowest in weeks had a steadying effect on values after earlier reactionary tendencies. The offerings that made an appearance represented in good part profit-taking, and liquidating sales, which followed talk that the Federal Reserve Board may take up the matter of increasing the 3 1/2 per cent discount charge at Thursday's meeting. The set-back seemed natural, though following the pronounced upward trend of late. Of course, special cases like that of Pan-American Western, which was influenced by the unfavorable decision handed down yesterday in the California naval reserve oil land suit, may assist in the recovery, but reversing the awarded development compensation. This likely had a sentimental effect on the other oil shares, though in the oil dealings they enjoyed a recovery movement, while the rail department throughout the profit-taking stage showed good resistance, however though trended fractionally lower.

Little or no change was reported from the Southeastern European political muddle, which continues to report the whole continent of an encouraging character, and the dividend declarations that were announced during the day were in keeping with expectations. Foremost of these, the 40 per cent Foundation dividend in foreign shares, while copper metal, after easing to 1 1/2 cents, was later reported selling again at 1 1/2 cents, and following this recovery some of the copper shares developed an improved tone. More or less irregularity may assist in the near future, as the present range of values is still at a height where they may attract profit taking, which may be directed only at the expense of values.

New York, Jan. 5. (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: "Irregularity characterized today's trading. Heavy profit-taking went ahead among the leaders of the forward movement, causing reaction in the principal industrial issues. But the most significant factor in the day's happenings was the element of the 4 per cent rate, the lowest since the middle of Autumn. This definite proof of the plentiful supply of credit, notwithstanding the rapid pace of industrial turnover, demonstrated that no logical reason existed for apprehension over the amount of funds tied up in the stock market."

Assurance on this score prevented reactionary tendencies from gaining much headway. After a brief sell-off on one to five points in active stocks, important support was encountered and persistent professional efforts failed to force further liquidation.

Pan American western was subjected to special pressure, dropping five points to 40-1/2. This reaction was precipitated by the decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals of San Francisco in upholding the decision of the District Court at Los Angeles in the case of the Government against Pan-American and Transport Co. of California involving Naval reserve number.

This was a victory for the Government. The case will be carried to the Supreme Court by the Pan-American people. The result in the litigation, so far as it affects the naval reserve held to Pan-American Western, which was organized several months ago for the purpose of separating the Californian properties from Pan-American and Transport Company. The last-named company has interest in California properties, its ownership now being in Mexico.

Continental can maintained a strong tone around 91, where it was less than three weeks ago. It was levels were attained by the present shares. Recent buying has been based not alone on expectations of meeting, but also on the strong showing the company made in 1925. Continental ended its best year with an exceedingly strong liquidation, including more cash than its share of preferred stock, so that in effect, it is a common stock company. The company owed nothing to the banks and its balance sheet showed a negligible amount of other liabilities. A big year lies ahead with every indication of company's operations and earnings increasing.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, JANUARY 5, 1926

(Suggested by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last	West. Air Brake	128- 128
Atch. Top. & Santa Fe	127- 127	125- 125	126- 126	Open. Railway Signals	92-6 95-6
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Baltimore & Ohio	92- 92	91- 91	92- 92	Arm. Steel Foundry	46- 46
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